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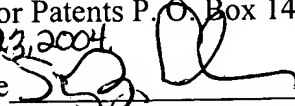
### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the office action dated 08/23/2004. Please amend the  
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**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.